

South Coast Gang Task Force

Executive Council Meeting

November 4, 2009

Agenda

- Call to Order
- Reports/Updates on Services
- CalGRIP Grant Presentation
- Enforcement Efforts and Reports
- Core Strategy Discussion
- Next Steps

Reports & Updates on Services

Job Training/Employment (City of SB)

Presenter – Pete Leyva, Neighborhood & Outreach
Services Coordinator

Job Training/Employment - City of SB

- Coordination of Youth Employment-related Information & Services
 - Summer Program
 - CalGRIP Caseworkers
 - Community Centers
- Jobs Network
- City of Santa Barbara Apprenticeship Program
- Next Steps

Job Training/Employment (County WIB)

Presenter - Victoria Sanchez, Public Information Specialist

Summer Youth Participants 2009



Summer Youth Employment Program 2009

Total Enrolled:
57

Continued until 9/30:
22

Demographics

16 years old:
9

17 years old:
25

18 years old:
20

19 years old:
3

Male:
34

Female:
23

First Job:
27

Food Stamps:
14

Offender/Probation:
12

Parenting Youth:
3

Lompoc:
27

Santa Barbara:
17

Santa Maria:
14

Goleta:
6

Carpinteria:
2

Solvang:
1

Departments

WIB/City of Lompoc:
15

Public Works:
10

General Services:
9

Parks:
7

Social Services:
6

CEO:
2

Alcohol, Drug & Mental Health:
3

Child Support Services:
1

Information Technology:
1

Public Defender:
1

Board of Supervisors:
1

Law Library:
1

Summer Youth 2010

- ◆ 300 county-wide youth
- ◆ 14-24 year olds
- ◆ At least 30% out-of-school
- ◆ Number of youth in an area is dependent on worksites
- ◆ \$8/hr up 40 hours per week



SYEP Timeline *(Subject to change)*

Oct.- Dec.	Jan.- Feb.	March	April	May	June- July
SYEP 2010 planning	County- wide info. meetings	Out-of- school youth applications and enrollment	End of enrollment for out-of- school youth	End of enrollment for in-school youth	Week of training for in-school youth
Informational meeting invitations	Worksite applications start		Job match starts	Job match starts	ISY start
				Week of training for out-of-school youth OSY start	

ISY End Date: Aug. 30 ---- OSY End Date: Sept. 30

Contact the WIB

- ◆ www.SantaBarbaraCountyWIB.org
- ◆ 681-4431
- ◆ v.sanchez@sbcsocialserv.org



Making A Difference Intervention Collaborative

Presenter – Keith Terry (Project Excel & YStrive)

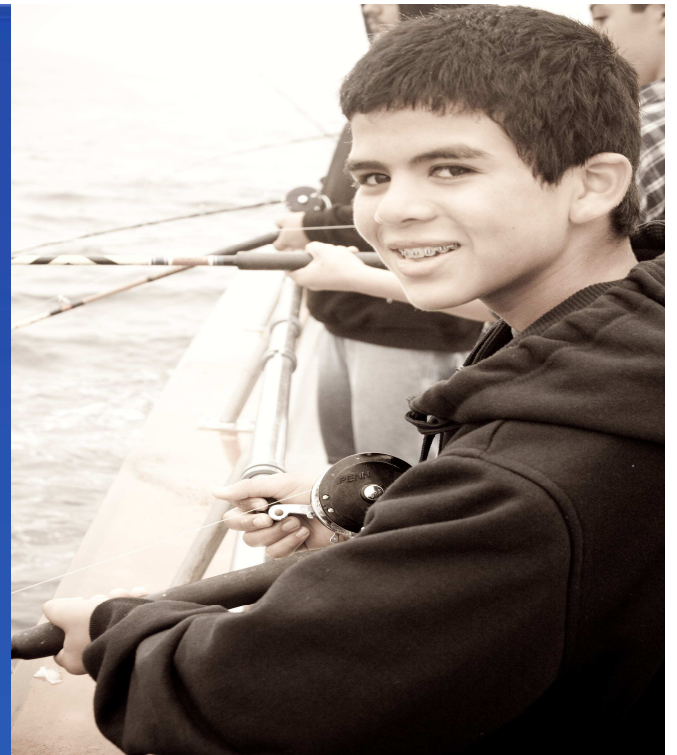
CORE Adventure @ SBJHS

Presenter – John Becchio, Principal

CORE Adventure @ SBJHS

What lies at the CORE?

Deep Sea Fishing



High Ropes Course



Whale Watching



Home Boy Industries/LA



Girls CORE Trip to LA



Surf Instruction



Men's Warehouse



What lies at the CORE...

...is a kid looking for a
connection to something

CalGRIP Grant Presentation

CalGRIP Grant Overview

- Grant Award: **\$400,000**
- Grant Period: **4/1/2009 – 3/31/2011**
- Administration: **City of Santa Barbara**
- Target Area: **South Coast**
- Partners:
 - **SB County Education Office**
 - **Community Action Commission**
 - **CADA/Fighting Back**

CalGRIP Grant Overview (cont'd)

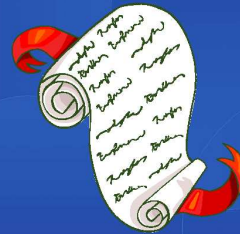
- **Prevention/Education:**
 - *Second Step or Phoenix Curricula*
 - 6th Grade Classes in 5 Title I Elementary Schools in the City of SB
- **Intervention/Education:**
 - Case Management of 160 referrals from County Probation
 - 6 Caseworkers
 - Supplemented with *El Joven Noble, Claridad & Peaks Mastery Curricula*
- **Suppression:**
 - SB Police Department

2009 Summer Program

Presenter – Fred Razo, SBCEO

Summer Program

Step 1: Identify At Risk Youth



Step 2: Develop Individual Plans



Step 3: Access Services



Step 4: Measure Outcomes

- ☐ Develop Individual Plan
- ☐ Participate Counseling
 - ☐ Student and/or Family
- ☐ Access Support Services
- ☐ Improve Academic Standing
 - ☐ Improve School Attendance
 - ☐ Secure Employment
- ☐ Recidivism

2009 Summer Program (Cont'd)

- **170 Youth Served:**
 - 52 referred from Probation
 - 118 new referrals from school personnel, law enforcement, etc.
- **Summer School Results:**
 - 21 youth enrolled & successfully completed summer school
 - 7 became credit compliant; 14 are on track toward compliance
 - 1 youth completed Running Start Program at SBCC

2009 Summer Program (cont'd)

- **Caseworker & Client Interaction**
 - 1600 individual contacts
 - 145 educational counseling sessions
 - 18 counseling sessions with youth & families
 - 11 Juvenile Court sessions
 - 100 contacts with Probation Officers
- **Field Trips & Special Projects**
 - 100 youth on 4 field trips to Home Boys Industries
 - 26 youth on 4 field trips to SBCC
 - 18 youth in Ropes Course at UCSB
 - 18 youth in Mural Project at SBHS

Coordination with County Probation

- Referral Protocol Established
- Quarterly Meetings to be Held of Caseworkers & Probation Officers
- Probation Officers Representative to Attend Caseworkers Team Meetings
- 130 Youth Identified on South Coast on Probation with Gang Terms & Conditions

Caseworker/Outreach Specialist Team

Presenter – Carolyn Contreras, CAC

Caseworker/Outreach Specialist Team

<u>CalGRIP Team Members</u>	<u>Partner Agency</u>	<u>Funding Source(s)</u>
Transition Case Manager Leticia Velasquez	SBCEO CADA	CalGRIP (100%) CalGRIP (45%) JJCPA/Probation (55%)
Stephanie Molina	CADA	CalGRIP (25%) SBCEO & Other (75%)
Kristy Renteria	CAC	CalGRIP (100%)
Saul Serrano	CAC	CalGRIP (100%)
Maria Gutierrez	CAC	Other (100%)
<u>Non-CalGRIP Members</u>	<u>Partner Agency</u>	<u>Funding Source(s)</u>
Ismael Huerta	SBSD	SBSD (100%)
Pete Leyva	City of SB	City of SB (100%)

Current Caseload

Presenter – Shereen Khatapoush, CADA/FB

Current Caseload

101 Referrals from County Probation

- 34 Santa Barbara School District
- 58 Santa Barbara County Education Office
 - 25 El Puente Santa Barbara
 - 14 Los Prietos Boys Camp
 - 19 Juvenile Hall Schools
- 9 Carpinteria Unified School District
- 1 SBCC/Adult Education

Expanded Scope of Youth to be Served

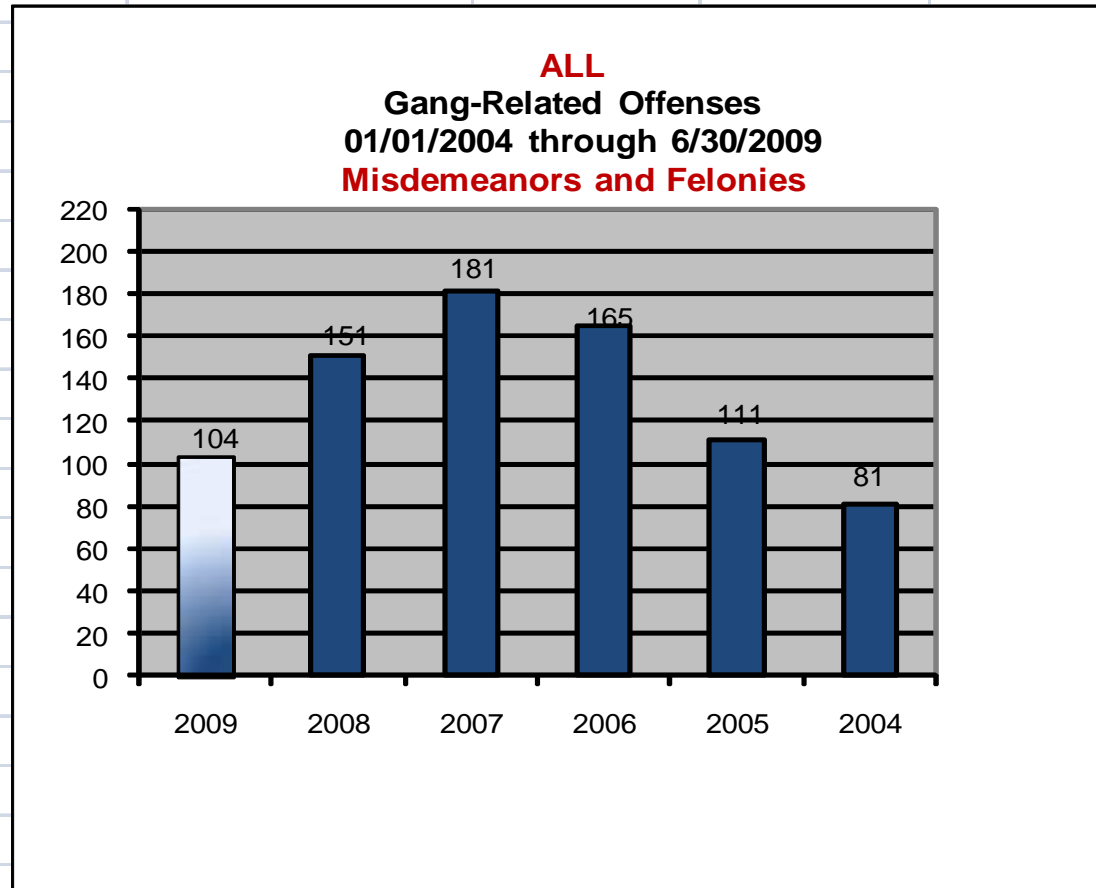
- **On Probation with Gang Terms and Conditions:** *Youth identified by the County Probation Department as being on probation with gang terms and conditions.*
- **Involved in a Gang:** *Youth identified and referred to CalGRIP Partners by a parent, juvenile court official, law enforcement, and/or school personnel as a youth who is already involved in a gang, is associating with gang members or who is likely to become involved in a gang.*
- **Self Certification:** *Youth admitting to a parent, friend, juvenile court official, law enforcement, school personnel and/or a case manager of either being involved in a gang, is associating with gang members, or is at-risk of becoming involved in a gang.*

Enforcement Efforts & Reports

Santa Barbara Police Department

Presenter - Chief Cam Sanchez

Year	# Gang-Related Offenses		Period
2009	104		January-June
2008	151		January-December
2007	181		January-December
2006	165		January-December
2005	111		January-December
2004	81		January-December



City of Santa Barbara - Violent Offenses
Selected Offense Reports with a Gang Involvement of "G"
January 2004 through June 2009

Count of Offense	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009 (Jan-Jun)	Grand Total
245 AGG ASSAULT-MISD	9	19	24	27	8		87
12020 WEAPON-POSSESSION RESTRICTED W	9	4	8	6	4	3	34
415 DISTURBANCE-CHALLENGE FIGHT	6	5	3	5	9	3	31
242 BATTERY	4	2	9	8	7	1	31
186.22 CRIMINAL STREET GANG ACTIVITY	5	5	3	5	3	1	22
211 ROBBERY-OTHER	3	4	2	6	5	2	22
MISC WEAPON-OTHER WEAPON OFFENSES	2	3	6	8	1		20
245 AGG ASSAULT-FELONY	1		2	1	5	8	17
422 CRIMINAL THREATS-TERRORIZE	1	3	1	2	4	1	12
417 BRANDISHING-OTHER WEAPON	1	1	1	4	4	1	12
626.1 WEAPON-NOT FIREARM AT SCHOOL	1		1			1	3
211 ROBBERY-COMMERCIAL		1	1				2
417 BRANDISHING-FIREARM			2				2
12025 WEAPON-CARRY CONCEALED FIREARM	1			1			2
187 ATTEMPT HOMICIDE				1			1
12031 WEAPON-CARRYING LOADED FIREARM			1				39 1
Grand Total	43	47	64	74	50	21	299

City of Santa Barbara - Gang Contacts By Age (January – June 2009)

Role	Age Group												
	< 10	10-13	14	15	16	17	18-20	21-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60 +	Grand Total
Arrestee							28	27	9	7	1		72
Involved							9	7	10	9	6	1	42
Juv-Arrestee			1	6	7	21							35
Juv-Involved	3	3	2	8	5	9							30
Juv-RP					1								1
Juv-Subject						2							2
Juv-Victim	1		3	3	2	4							13
Juv-Witness			1			2							3
Parent/Guardian								1	1	3	1		6
RP							1	1	3	1	3	1	10
Subject/FI							1	1					2
Suspect							3	5	1				9
Victim							3	16	2	9	5	2	37
Witness							5	12	7	7	3		34
Grand Total	4	3	7	17	15	38	50	70	33	36	19	4	296

City of Santa Barbara-Gang Contacts By Gender (January – June 2009)

Role	Gender		Grand Total
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Arrestee	3	69	72
Involved	26	16	42
Juv-Arrestee	1	34	35
Juv-Involved	8	22	30
Juv-RP		1	1
Juv-Subject		2	2
Juv-Victim	2	11	13
Juv-Witness	2	1	3
Parent/Guardian	4	2	6
RP	2	8	10
Subject/FI	1	1	2
Suspect	1	8	9
Victim	11	26	37
Witness	12	22	34
Grand Total	73	223	296

City of Santa Barbara

Homicides

Gang Related Homicides from 1995 to 2009							
Report #	Offense	Weapon	Date of Offense	Victim	Age / DOB	Location	Status
95014553	187 PC	Handgun	07-22-1995	Stevens, Adrian Angelo	20 10-14-74	1700 San Andres	1 arrested - prison
95021360	187 PC	Knife	10-15-1995	Martinez, Abraham Giovanni	16 10-25-78	100 W. Ortega	1 arrested - prison
96005792	187 PC	Bottle	03-02-1996	Williams, Janelle	17 08-01-78	600 Wentworth Ave.	Justifiable Homicide
97001763	187 PC	Handgun	01-26-1997	Torres, Michael Raphael	23 07-11-73	City Lot #10	4 arrested – prison 1 released by judge
99025336	187 PC	Knife	12-04-1999	Sanchez, Henry Alrodo	18 05-11-81	400 S. Canada St.	1 arrested - prison
03008741	187 PC	Handgun	04-19-2003	Montanes, David Joseph Jr.	23 07-02-79	305 E. Ortega	2 arrested - prison
06020714	187 PC	Handgun	09-13-2006	Tacadena, Frank	51 07-06-46	400 W. Islay	2 arrested - prison
07005432	187 PC	Knife	03-14-2007	Linares, Luis	15 10-13-91	1000 State Street	6 arrested – 1 prison (187)
07015235	187 PC	Knife	07-16-2007	Carachure, Valentin	16 08-08-90	700 San Pascual	7 arrested – court
08046993	187 PC	Knife	07-04-2008	Roldan, Emmanuel “Manny”	15 06-01-93	200 E. Cabrillo Blvd.	7 arrested – court
09013046	187 PC	Knife	02-21-2009	Leal, Baldemar	22 12-09-86	400 De La Vina	4 arrested - court

Sheriff's Department - Goleta,
Carpinteria & South Coast

Presenter - Sheriff Bill Brown

Overview of Sheriff's Gang Unit & South County Area Criminal Street Gangs

Bill Brown
Sheriff – Coroner
Santa Barbara County



Sheriff's Gang Enforcement Unit

The Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Department Gang Unit was established in 2007 to identify, investigate and prevent gang related violence.

- ❑ Unit consists of four Deputies
 - One deputy assigned to an FBI Gang Task Force
- ❑ Unit augmented with 18 Collateral Gang Deputies
- ❑ Unit works closely with narcotics and intelligence counterparts

Sheriff's Gang Enforcement Unit

- Provides expert gang testimony
- Conducts proactive and tactical patrol enforcement.
- Extensive knowledge in gangs, gang related criminal activity, and trends.
- Mutual Aid assistance: Special Events, High Risk Warrant Service, Probation/Parole Sweeps, Association Warrants
- Intelligence Gathering / Sharing

Gang Related Crime Statistics

January 1 to June 30, 2009

■ Total Aggravated Assaults	10
□ With a Firearm	3
■ Total Robberies	3
□ With a Firearm	1
■ Gang-Related Arrests	53
■ Federal Prosecution Filings	3
for gang involved defendants	
■ Controlled Substances Seized	103 grams
■ Firearms Seized	3

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Gang Unit Statistics

July 2007 to April 2009

■ Felony Arrests	195
■ Misdemeanor Arrests	349
■ Citations	123
■ Newly Validated Gang Members	737
■ Gang Registrations PC186.30	35
■ 186.22 Gang Enhancements	27
■ Court Testimony	5
■ Warrant – Arrest/Search	12

Santa Barbara County Gang Status

Current Status of Gangs in SB:

- Increase in Violent Crime: Shootings / Stabbings
- High Criminal Activity of Young Gang Members
- Outside Influence; Television Portrayal of Gang's) / Gang Members
- Narcotics; Possession / Use and Sales
- Gangs i.e. from other Counties, attraction to Santa Barbara City and Isla Vista
- Increase gang activity, increase in jail population

Gang Membership Numbers*

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2009</u>
Goleta 13	247	268
Rockcreek	39	50
Carpas	97	91

* Actual Gang Membership is considered to be higher than membership numbers given. Numbers depicted are only those who have come in contact with Law Enforcement.

Carpinteria

Gang: “Carpas”

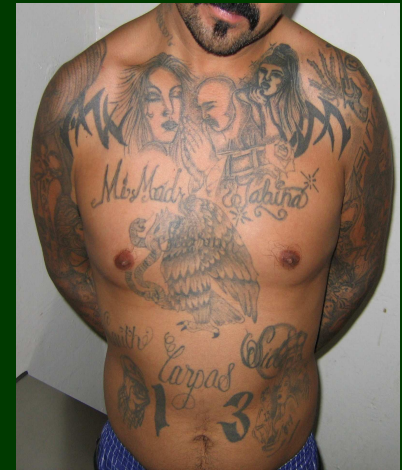
Type: Turf Race: Hispanic/White

Area: Carpinteria AKA: Southside, 9th Street

Membership: 91

Recent Activity:

Gang Turf Stabbings,
Assault w/ a Deadly
Weapon on Peace Officer,
Gang Turf “Motel 6”
shooting, multiple assaults



Goleta

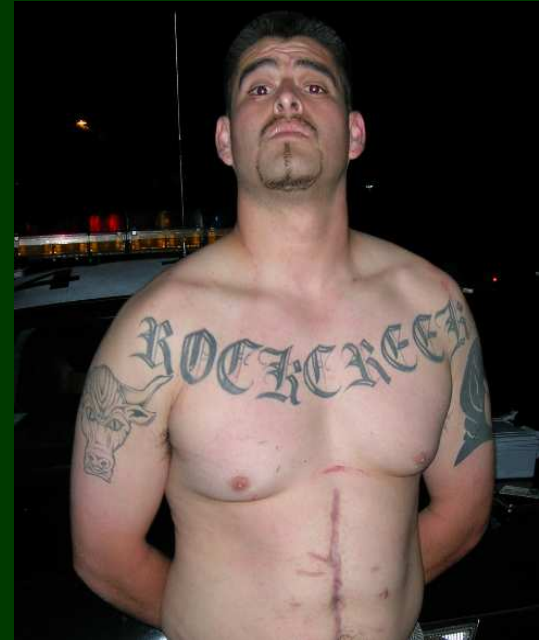
Gang: **“Rockcreek”**

Type: Turf *Race:* Hispanic/White

Area: Goleta

AKA: RCL

Membership: 39



Recent Activity: Gang membership is on decline, victims of stabbings by other Goleta and Santa Barbara city gangs



Goleta

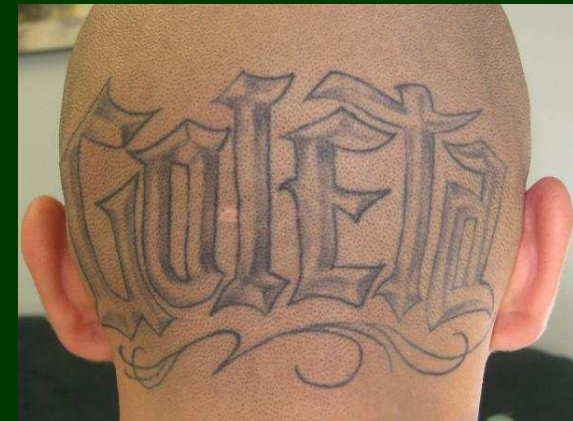
Gang: **“Goleta 13”**

Type: Turf *Race:* Hispanic

Area: Isla Vista, Goleta

AKA: G13, Projects, VGP

Membership: 247



Recent Activity: Suspected in over nine robberies, one drive by shooting, multiple assaults, home invasion style robberies of Marijuana Dealers, and Vandalism

Intervention / Prevention

- School Resource Officer's (SRO)
- Community Relations Officer's (CRO)
- Sheriff's Activity League (SAL)
- DARE – Life Skills Classes
- Working Closely with Probation and Parole; Sharing Information, and conducting Probation and Parole Checks / Sweeps
- Interagency Cooperation; Sharing of Intelligence, and mutual assistance i.e. special events, law enforcement presence / patrol

Core Strategy Discussion

Next Steps

Next Steps

- Staff Search Committee to be Formed
- Identify Candidates for Vacant Executive Council Positions
- Executive Council: **December 9th**
- Leadership Council: **December 16th**